

(26 Stat. 91; 43 U. S. C. 1094), for the tracts in that town reserved for parks, schools, and other public purposes, without inserting in the patent the condition required by such section that the lands shall be maintained for the purposes mentioned.

Proceeds from sale
of lands.

SEC. 2. The proceeds derived from the sale of such parcels of land shall be used by the Town Board of Fletcher, Oklahoma, first, to repair and improve the water system in such town; and, second, to construct a town building containing, among other things, a fire station, jail, and town hall.

Approved, December 22, 1942.

[CHAPTER 798]

JOINT RESOLUTION

December 22, 1942
[S. J. Res. 170]
[Public Law 821]

Extending until April 30, 1943, the period for which overtime rates of compensation may be paid under the Acts of June 28, 1940 (54 Stat. 676), October 21, 1940 (54 Stat. 1205), and June 3, 1941 (55 Stat. 241), and for other purposes.

Overtime pay for
government employ-
ees.

Time extension.
Ante, pp. 645, 765.

Provisos.
Employees includ-
ed.

42 Stat. 1488; *ante*,
p. 733.
5 U. S. C. §§ 661-674;
Supp. I, ch. 13.
Persons not includ-
ed.

Limitation on
amount.

Ante, p. 88.
55 Stat. 150.
46 U. S. C., Supp. I,
prec. § 1251 note.

Additional pay in
lieu of overtime pay
for designated em-
ployees.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution extending the period for which overtime rates of compensation may be paid under certain Acts", approved July 3, 1942, is amended by striking out "November 30, 1942," and inserting "April 30, 1943": *Provided*, That the authorization contained herein to pay overtime compensation to certain groups of employees is hereby extended, effective December 1, 1942, to all civilian employees in or under the United States Government, including Government-owned or controlled organizations (except employees in the legislative and judicial branches), and to those employees of the District of Columbia municipal government who occupy positions subject to the Classification Act of 1923, as amended: *Provided further*, That such extension shall not apply to (a) those whose wages are fixed on a daily or hourly basis and adjusted from time to time in accordance with prevailing rates by wage boards or similar administrative authority serving the same purpose, (b) elected officials, (c) heads of departments, independent establishments and agencies, and (d) employees outside the continental limits of the United States, including Alaska, who are paid in accordance with local prevailing native wage rates for the area in which employed: *Provided further*, That overtime compensation authorized herein and under the Act approved February 10, 1942 (Public Law Numbered 450, Seventy-seventh Congress), and section 4 of the Act approved May 2, 1941 (Public Law Numbered 46, Seventy-seventh Congress), as amended, shall be payable only on that part of an employee's basic compensation not in excess of \$2,900 per annum, and each such employee shall be paid only such overtime compensation or portion thereof as will not cause his aggregate compensation to exceed a rate of \$5,000 per annum: *And provided further*, That officers or employees whose compensation is based on mileage, postal receipts, fees, piecework, or other than a time period basis or whose hours of duty are intermittent, irregular, or less than full time, substitute employees whose compensation is based upon a rate per hour or per day, and employees in or under the legislative and judicial branches, shall be paid additional compensation, in lieu of the overtime compensation authorized herein, amounting to 10 per centum of so much of their earned basic compensation as is not in excess of a rate of \$2,900 per annum, and each such employee shall be paid only such additional compensation or portion thereof as will not cause his aggregate compensation to exceed a rate of \$5,000 per annum.

SEC. 2. Within thirty days after the enactment of this Act the heads of departments and agencies in the executive branch, whose employees are affected by the provisions of this joint resolution, shall present to the Director of the Bureau of the Budget such information as he shall require for the purpose of justifying the number of employees in their respective departments or agencies. If any such department or agency fails to present such information or if, in the opinion of the Director, the information so presented fails to disclose that the number of such employees in any department or agency is necessary to the proper and efficient exercise of its functions, the personnel of such department or agency shall be reduced, upon the order of the Director, by such number as the Director finds to be in excess of the minimum requirements of such department or agency. Upon the expiration of thirty days from the date of issuance of such order by the Director of the Bureau of the Budget the provisions of the first section of this joint resolution shall cease to be applicable to the employees of the agency affected by such order, unless and until the head thereof has certified to the Director of the Bureau of the Budget that such order has been complied with. The Civil Service Commission is authorized to transfer to other departments or agencies any employees released pursuant to this section, whose services are needed in and can be effectively utilized by such other departments or agencies.

SEC. 3. The provisions of the Saturday half-holiday law of March 3, 1931 (46 Stat. 1482; U. S. C., title 5, sec. 26 (a)), are hereby suspended for the period during which this joint resolution is in effect.

SEC. 4. This joint resolution shall take effect as of December 1, 1942, and shall terminate on April 30, 1943, or such earlier date as the Congress by concurrent resolution may prescribe.

Approved, December 22, 1942.

[CHAPTER 799]

AN ACT

To provide for conveyance of lands to the town of Cordova, Alaska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to convey to the town of Cordova, Alaska, a municipal corporation of the Territory of Alaska, a certain parcel or tract of land to be used by said town for recreational purposes. Said parcel or tract being described as follows:

That certain tract of land, lying and being adjacent to the town of Cordova, Alaska, in Cordova Recording District, Territory of Alaska, the main portion of which is within "station ground tract A" of the Copper River and Northwestern Railway Company, and the remainder of which passes through the right-of-way of such railway company, particularly bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the center line of the Copper River and Northwestern Railway Station number 66+88.5; thence south thirty-eight degrees thirty-four minutes west two hundred and seventy feet; thence north eighty-six degrees sixteen minutes west two hundred and twenty feet; thence south three degrees forty-four minutes west forty feet; thence north eighty-six degrees sixteen minutes west ninety-five feet; thence south seven degrees eighteen minutes west two hundred and fifty-two feet; thence south sixty-seven degrees forty-four minutes forty seconds east three hundred and seventy-five

Number of employees.
Justification to Bureau of Budget.

Reduction in certain cases.

Effect of noncompliance with order.

Transfer of released employees.

Saturday half-holiday law, suspension.
5 U. S. C., Supp. I, § 26a note.

Effective date; duration.

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[Public Law 822]

Cordova, Alaska.
Conveyance of land